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E.O. 11652: GDS
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SUBJECT: IMPLEMENTATION OF BONN SUMMIT ANTI-HIJACKING DECLARATION

REF: A. STATE 186923, B. STATE 212172, C. STATE 208754

1. DCM PASSED TALING POINTS PAPER BASED ON PARAS
1, 2, 3 AND 7 OF REFTEL A TO GOC DIRECTOR GENERAL
OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS PELAGHIAS JULY 27. PELAGHIAS
PROMISED TO REVIEW AND COMMENT ON PARA 7 REQUESTING
GOC SUPPORT FOR BONN DECLARATION. GOC IS PARTY
TO 1970 HAGUE ANTI-HIJACKING CONVENTION.
2. AFTER GETTING CONCURRENCE FROM ME AND OTHER COMS CONCERNED,
ON AUGUST 17 FRG AMBASSADOR WROTE TO AMBASSADORS
OF UK, ITALY AND US AND FRENCH CHARGE TO INFORM
THEM THAT HE HAD DISCUSSED BONN SUMMIT DECLARATION
ON HIJACKING WITH GOC FOREIGN MINISTER ROLANDIS
THAT DAY. HE ALSO LEFT AIDE MEMOIRE ON SUBJECT
WITH HIM. ROLANDIS SAID HE WOULD LOOK INTO MATTER
AND SUGGESTED FURTHER MEETING IN ABOUT TEN DAYS.
3. FRG AIDE MEMOIRE REFERS TO ACCORD REACHED AT BONN AND
BEGINS: QUOTE. MOVING TO CURB AIR PIRACY, THE
LEADERS OF THE SEVEN INDUSTRIALIZED DEMOCRACIES HAVE
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AGREED TO HALT AIR SERVICE TO AND FROM COUNTRIES WHICH
AID AIRCRAFT HIJACKERS. END QUOTE. AIDE MEMOIRE NEXT
QUOTES TEXT OF DECLARATION AS TRANSMITTED REF C AND
CONCLUDES AS FOLLOWS: QUOTE. IT WAS
AGREED AT THE SUMMIT MEETING THAT THE INVITATION OF
THE HEADS OF STATE AND GOVERNMENT TO JOIN IN THIS
COMMITMENT SHOULD BE FOLLOWED UP BY RESPECTIVE DEMARCHES

IN ALL CAPITALS OF THE GLOBE. DETAILS HAVE BEEN LEFT
TO THE DIPLOMATIC MISSIONS OF THE SEVEN IN EACH
CAPITAL.

IN NICOSIA THIS TASK IS CARRIED OUT BY THE AMBASSADOR
OF THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY AFTER DUE CONSULTATIONS
WITH HIS COLLEAGUES OF THE OTHER COUNTRIES CONCERNED. END
QUOTE.

4. AS CONCERNS RAISED PARA 6 REFTTEL B HAVE NOT SURFACED
IN FRG AIDE MEMOIRE PROVIDED TO ROLANDIS, WE HAVE NOT DISCUSSED
THEM WITH FRG AMBASSADOR. WE PLAN TO FOLLOW-UP OUR EARLIER
CONTACT IN SUPPORT OF FRG APPROACH AS SOON AS APPROPRIATE
OCCASION ARISES.
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